

# **CITY OF MAPLE VALLEY, WASHINGTON**

## **RESOLUTION NO. R-22-1694**

### **A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF MAPLE VALLEY, WASHINGTON, ACCEPTING A RECOMMENDATION FROM THE CITY'S FINANCE COMMITTEE FOR GRANT FUNDING RELATED TO UTILITY ASSISTANCE SUPPORT AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE GRANT AGREEMENT.**

WHEREAS, the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 ("ARPA") was signed into law on March 11, 2021; and

WHEREAS, ARPA Sec. 9901 Provides funding to states and local governments to mitigate the fiscal effects stemming from the COVID-19 public health emergency; and

WHEREAS, ARPA provides additional relief to address the continued impacts of COVID-19 on the economy, public health, state and local governments, individuals, and businesses; and

WHEREAS, funding from the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds is subject to requirements and provides for allowable uses specified in the Final Rule effective on April 1, 2022; and

WHEREAS, the City Council adopted Ordinance No. O-21-741, which amended the 2022 Budget to provide for budget appropriation for \$600,000 to support the City of Maple Valley's General Revenue Reduction Category for government services; and

WHEREAS, Council on April 6, 2022 expressed funding support recommended by staff for \$40,000 to establish the City's Utility Assistance Program, providing economic relief with the intent of assisting customers to exit from delinquency status.

### **NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MAPLE VALLEY, WASHINGTON, HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1: Acceptance of Recommendation by the Finance Committee. The City Council hereby accepts the recommendation made by the Finance Committee to fund the utility assistance grant agreement with Covington Water District for up to \$30,400.

Section 2. Authorization to Execute Grant Agreement. The City Manager is hereby authorized to enter into grant agreement with the recommended special purpose district, pursuant to City Policy. The agreement shall be filed with the City Clerk and identified with Agreement No. C-22-2065 and Clerk's Receiving No. 3660

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MAPLE VALLEY AT A  
REGULAR MEETING ON THE 10<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF OCTOBER 2022.

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Sean P. Kelly, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

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Andrew Dacuag, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Patricia Taraday, City Attorney